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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:

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Serial No.: 09/528,682

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Title: IMMUNOGENIC DETOXIFIED  
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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an amendment in the above patent application in response to the Office Action of May 29, 2003.

- X Applicants request an extension of time for two months. Enclosed is a check to cover the \$420.00 fee.
- X No additional fee is required.
- X Also enclosed: return receipt postcard.

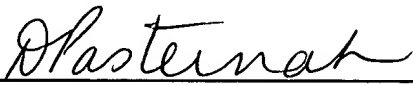
No. of Claims After Amendment		Most Claims Previously Paid			Extra Claims		Additional Fee		
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B. Ind. Claims	1	-	3	=	0	x	\$86	=	\$0
C. If amended to contain multiple dependent claims, add 280							\$290	=	\$0
D. Total Amendment Fee (Total of A, B & C)								=	\$0
E. If small entity, 50% reduction of Total Amendment Fee (50% of D)								=	\$0
F. Total Amendment Fee (D minus E)								=	\$0

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